GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Home Department – Surprise check conducted by the Anti Corruption Bureau - Allegation of corruption against Sri Vasaralla N.V.Satyanarayana, ACP, (f) West Zone, Vijayawada and 24 others – Case entrusted to COI – Certain Charged Officers expired – Abatement – Orders– Issued.

HOME (SC.A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.701, **Dated:19-08-2024.**

Read the following:-

1. From the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, A.P., Hyderabad, Lr.No.32/RCO-VKI/2012-S.9, dt.11.09.2012.
2. Govt. Letter. No.275/SC.A/A2/2012-1,Home(SC.A) Dept.,dt.24.12.2012.
3. Act No.29 of 2022 published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette on 22.12.2022.
4. G.O.Rt.No.326, Home(SC.A) Dept., dt.27.03.2023.
5. From Dr.P.Laxminarasimham,IAS(Retd.), Member, COI(I/c), dt.26.04.2023.
6. G.O.Rt.No.50, Home(SC.A) Department, dt.19.01.2024.
7. From the Director General of Police, A.P., Mangalagiri, Lr.Rc.No.382/F3/2023, dt.11.07.2023.
8. G.O.Rt.No.494, Home(SC.A) Department, dt.25.04.2024.
9. From the Director General of Police, A.P., Mangalagiri, Lr.Rc.No.382/F3/2023, dt.18-03-2024.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, A.P., Vijayawada has informed that a surprise check was conducted by the Anti-Corruption Bureau Officials on the allegation of collating amounts as bribe for favouring of the owners of the wine shops. During the course of investigation, it was revealed that the money was collected illegally from owners of some wine shops, for not taking any action for violation of Excise Laws, Rules and License conditions such as sale of Liquor over and above MRP Rates, cheap liquor, operation of illegal belt shops, sale of liquor beyond the stipulated hours of business, sale of loose liquor for consumption at the shops without license/ permission etc., Based on that, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, A.P., has recommended to initiate departmental proceedings against the Accused Officers for violation of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules,1964.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, Govt., have entrusted the case against Sri Vasaralla N.V.Satyanarayana, ACP, (f) West Zone, Vijayawada and 25 others to TDP (Tribunal for Disciplinary Proceedings) to inquire into the allegations of receiving bribes/ mamools from the Liquor Syndicate.

3. In the refenfec 3rd read above, Government have issued orders to repeal the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Disciplinary Proceedings Tribunal) Act, 1960 and all cases pending before the said Tribunal on the said date shall stand transferred to the Commissionerate of Inquiries(COI) to continue the pending proceedings and shall be disposed of by it accordance with the statutory rules governing conduct of the disciplinary proceedings in due compliance with principles of natural justice.

4. After repealing the TDP Act, the General Adminstration (COI-R) Department has handed over the connected records in TEC No.s 13 to 25, 27 to 38/2013 in respect of Sri Vasaralla N.V.Satyanarayana, ACP, West Zone, Vijayawada and 24 others to Home Department. As per the records, it is noticed that Sri Kurasala Satyanarayana Murthy, Asst. Sub Inspector of Police-241, VIII Town P.S. Vijayawada City was expired.

5. In the reference 4th read above, Govt. have appointed Dr.P.Laxminarasimham, IAS(Retd.), COI (I/C) as Inquiring Authority to enquiry into the charges framed against the Charged Officers Sri Vasaralla N.V.Satyanarayana, ACP, West Zone, Vijayawada and 24 others on the allegation of collecting mamools / bribe from owners of some wine shops, Vijayawada.

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6. In the reference 5th read above, the Inquiring Authority has informed that the following charged officers reportedly expired:

C.O. No.	Name of the Charged Officer and Designation
11	Thota Basava Raju, Asst. Sub Inspector of Police 787, II Town Police Station, Vijayawada City.
13	Rudra Sankara Rao, Asst. Sub Inspector of Police,161, VIII Town P.S. Vijayawada City.
14	Kurasala Satyanarayana Murthy, Asst. Sub Inspector of Police 241, VIII Town P.S. Vijayawada City.
15	Sayyed Razak, Asst. Sub Inspector of Police 1146, II Town Police Station, Vijayawada City.

7. In the reference 6th read above, Government have changed the Inquiry Authority. Subsequently, Sri B.V.Sudhakar, Indian Postal Service(Retd.,), Member was re-appinted as Inquiring Authority to continue the inquiry in the reference 8th read above.

8. In the references 7th and 9th read above, the Director Gneral of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri has furnished the death certification of above deceased officers to Government for further course of action in the matter.

9. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby order to abate all further disciplinary proceedings against the following Deceased Officers in terms of Rule 9(7) of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, consequent on their demise and treat the suspension period spent by them, if any, as On Duty under FR.54-B(2).

Sl.N	Name of the Charged Officer and Designation	Date of death
1.	Thota Basava Raju, Late ASI	14-07-2021
2.	Rudra Sankara Rao, Late ASI	23-12-2016
3.	Kurasala Satyanarayana Murthy, Late ASI	01-09-2013
4.	Sayyed Razak, Late ASI	13-11-2016

10. The Director General of Police, AP, Mangalagiri shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director General of Police, AP, Mangalagiri.
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The General Administration (COI) Dept., AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The Secretary, A.P. Vigilance Commission, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, AP, Vijayawada.
SF/SC.

//FORWARDED:: BY ORDER//

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